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TO: { Directors Of Field Operations, Port Directors }

FROM: { Director AD/CVD & Revenue Policy & Programs }

RE: PRELIMINARY AFFIRMATIVE COUNTERVAILING DUTY DETERMINATION ON HOT-ROLLED LEAD AND BISMUTH CARBON STEEL PRODUCTS FROM THE UNITED KINGDOM9/17/92 IS FR PUBLICATION DATE

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TO: REGIONAL DIRECTORS, COMMERCIAL OPERATIONS
DISTRICT DIRECTORS, AREA AND PORT DIRECTORS

FROM: DIRECTOR, IMPORT SPECIALIST DIVISION

RE: PRELIMINARY AFFIRMATIVE COUNTERVAILING DUTY DETERMINATION ON HOT-ROLLED LEAD AND BISMUTH CARBON STEEL PRODUCTS FROM THE UNITED KINGDOM9/17/92 IS FR PUBLICATION DATE

1. THE DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE WILL PUBLISH IN THE FEDERAL REGISTER ON SEPTEMBER 17, 1992, NOTICE OF ITS PRELIMINARY DETERMINATION THAT CERTAIN BENEFITS WHICH CONSTITUTE SUBSIDIES WITHIN THE MEANING OF THE COUNTERVAILING DUTY LAW ARE BEING PROVIDED TO THE PRODUCERS, MANUFACTURERS, OR EXPORTERS OF HOT ROLLED LEAD AND BISMUTH CARBON STEEL PRODUCTS FROM THE UNITED KINGDOM.

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2. THE PRODUCT COVERED BY THIS INVESTIGATION IS HOT ROLLED BARS AND RODS OF NON-ALLOY OR OTHER ALLOY STEEL, WHETHER OR NOT DESCALED, CONTAINING BY WEIGHT 0.03 PERCENT OR MORE OF LEAD OR 0.05 PERCENT OR MORE OF BISMUTH, IN COILS OR CUT LENGTHS, AND IN NUMEROUS SHAPES AND SIZES. EXCLUDED FROM THE SCOPE OF THIS INVESTIGATION ARE OTHER ALLOY STEELS (AS DEFINED BY THE HARMONIZED TARIFF SCHEDULE OF THE UNITED STATES ("HTSUS") CHAPTER 72, NOTE 1 (f)), EXCEPT STEELS CLASSIFIED AS OTHER ALLOY STEELS BY REASON OF CONTAINING BY WEIGHT 0.04 PERCENT OR MORE OF LEAD OR 0.01 PERCENT OR MORE OF BISMUTH, TELLURIUM, OR SELENIUM. ALSO EXCLUDED ARE SEMI-FINISHED STEELS AND FLAT-ROLLED PRODUCTS.

MOST OF THE PRODUCTS COVERED IN THIS INVESTIGATION ARE PROVIDED FOR UNDER SUBHEADINGS 7213.20.00.00 AND 7214.30.00.00 OF THE HTSUS. SMALL QUANTITIES OF THE FOLLOWING PRODUCTS MAY ALSO ENTER THE UNITED STATES UNDER THE FOLLOWING HTSUS SUBHEADINGS: 7213.31.30.00, 60.00; 7213.39.00.30, 00.60, 00.90; 7214.40.00.10, 00.30, 00.50; 7214.50.00.10, 00.30, 00.50; 7214.60.00.10, 00.30, 00.50; AND 7228.30.80.00. ALTHOUGH THE HTSUS SUBHEADINGS ARE PROVIDED FOR CONVENIENCE AND CUSTOMS PURPOSES, OUR WRITTEN DESCRIPTION OF THE SCOPE OF THIS INVESTIGATION IS DISPOSITIVE.

- 3. U.S. CUSTOMS SHALL SUSPEND LIQUIDATION OF ALL ENTRIES OF ADDITIVE STEEL FROM THE UNITED KINGDOM, WHICH ARE ENTERED OR WITHDRAWN FROM WAREHOUSE, FOR CONSUMPTION ON OR AFTER SEPTEMBER
- 17, 1992, AND SHALL REQUIRE A CASH DEPOSIT OR BOND FOR SUCH ENTRIES OF THE MERCHANDISE IN THE AMOUNT OF 0.67 PERCENT AD VALOREM EXCEPT FOR MERCHANDISE PRODUCED BY ASW AND GLYNWED. GLYNWED IS EXEMPT FROM THE SUSPENSION OF LIQUIDATION BECAUSE ITS ESTABLISHED NET SUBSIDY IS ZERO. ASW IS EXEMPT FROM THE SUSPENSION OF LIQUIDATION BECAUSE THE DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE NEEDS MORE INFORMATION BEFORE IT IS ABLE TO ANALYZE THIS COMPANY.
- 4. FOR FURTHER REPORTING PURPOSES, THIS COUNTERVAILING DUTY CASE HAS BEEN ASSIGNED INVESTIGATION NUMBER C-412-811.

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- 5. IF THERE ARE ANY QUESTIONS REGARDING THIS MATTER BY CUSTOMS OFFICERS, THEY SHOULD CONTACT THE IMPORT SPECIALIST DIVISION, OTHER AGENCY BRANCH VIA EMAIL ATTRIBUTE "HQ OAB". THE IMPORTING PUBLIC AND OTHER INTERESTED PARTIES SHOULD CONTACT STEPHANIE HAGER OR ANNIKA O'HARA, OFFICE OF COUNTERVAILING INVESTIGATIONS, IMPORT ADMINISTRATION, INTERNATIONAL TRADE ADMINISTRATION, U.S. DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE, TELEPHONE: (202) 377-5055 OR (202) 377-0588, RESPECTIVELY.
- 6. THERE ARE NO RESTRICTIONS ON THE RELEASE OF THIS INFORMATION.

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Company Details

*Party Indicator Value:

I = Importer, M = Manufacturer, E = Exporter, S = Sold To Party